



PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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For: ORGANIC ELECTRO-LUMINESCENCE ELEMENT
AND THE MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 3-7 as follows:

3. (Amended) The organic electroluminescence element described in Claim 1 characterized by the fact that the protruding height of the organic luminous layer by the slopes is larger than the thickness of the organic luminous layer.

4. (Amended) The organic electroluminescence element described in Claim 1 characterized by the fact that the protruding height of the organic luminous layer by the slopes is larger than the total value of the thickness of one of the anode layer and the cathode layer and the thickness of the organic luminous layer.

5. (Amended) The organic electroluminescence element described in Claim 1 characterized by the fact that a plural number of the slopes are formed evenly arranged on the surface.

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